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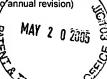
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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(e)

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Dear Sir:

This petition is in response to a Notice of Omitted Item(s) in a Nonprovisional Application that was mailed on May 12, 2005, stating that the above-referenced application was deposited without pages 1-3 of the specification (a copy of the Notice is attached hereto). Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(e) to accord a filing date of September 17, 2003 for the above-referenced application, and to accept the pages 1-3 that were originally submitted with the above-referenced application (copies of which are enclosed for your ready reference).

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Applicants respectfully submit that pages 1-3 of the specification were originally submitted with the above-referenced application that was filed on September 17, 2003, claiming priority to Japanese Patent Application No. 2002-272348. As noted on the enclosed copy of the return postcard stamped by the Patent Office on September 17, 2003, pages 1-3 of the specification were included as part of the "30 pages of specification" noted on the return postcard. In accordance with MPEP 503, the postcard receipt was adequately itemized and should serve as *prima facie* evidence of receipt of the items submitted on September 17, 2003.

Since the person in the Patent Office receiving the items for the present application did not indicate that any documents listed on said return postcard were missing, it is, therefore, concluded that pages 1-3 were among the documents submitted at the time of filing this application. The Applicants are, therefore, entitled to the date of filing (i.e., September 17, 2003).

Applicants respectfully request that pages 1-3 of the specification be added to the file, the petition fee be waived, and that the Commissioner accord a date of filing for the above-referenced application of September 17, 2003.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be required by this petition, or to credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account No. 03-1952** referencing docket no. 3930320410. Fee Transmittal form (PTO/SB/17p) is attached to this submission in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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